

OVER THE CAPITAL CITY.

Complete Recital of the Day's Events and Events.

The City Ticket—River Boats—Primitives—County News.

News Along the River.

Of the three O. P. river boats, the Three Sisters now comes only as far up as Fairfield, from which place she is under contract to take 800 tons of straw to La Canna where it will be made into paper.

The Occident continues to make her usual trips and has just had her boilers subjected to an inspection. The Champion is working on the lower river, between Oregon City and Portland.

Democratic Primaries.

This evening the city democratic primaries will be conducted at the respective wards in this city for the purpose of choosing delegates to the city convention and nominating candidates for aldermen.

Multnomah Muldoons.

The Oregonian publishes a list of those in Multnomah county who pay taxes on property worth \$10,000 or more. The list contains the name of 315 persons and corporations of whom 174 pay on from \$10,000 to \$20,000; 50 on from \$20,000 to \$30,000; 29 on from \$30,000 to \$40,000; 15 on from \$40,000 to \$50,000; 14 on from \$50,000 to \$60,000; 6 on from \$60,000 to \$70,000; 5 on from \$70,000 to \$80,000; 4 on from \$80,000 to \$90,000; 2 on from \$90,000 to \$100,000; 13 on from \$100,000 to \$200,000; 8 on from \$200,000 to \$300,000; 2 on from \$300,000 to \$400,000; 2 on from \$400,000 to \$500,000 and 1 on more than \$1,000,000.

Work on the Street Railway.

To-day State street is a scene of busy activity. Men and teams, with plows, graders, scrapers and shovels are loosening up the gravel and preparing to lay the rails.

Electing a President.

According to the new law the presidential electors will not meet at the state capitol until January 14th, at 12 m., instead of on December 5th, as heretofore.

A Satisfactory Success.

Baker City has nearly ready for completion a fine new school building and among the list of teachers just selected the name of Prof. Geo. A. Peebles of Salem stands first as principal.

Another Hotel.

Billy Cook, well known to the traveling public, has secured a lease of the old Monroe house and is now engaged in placing it in shape for opening a hotel.

Get Your Turkey!

At the W. C. T. U. hall where the ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve a sumptuous dinner from 12 until 4 o'clock.

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

Major Williams, Recorder Conn. Marshall Ross, Treasurer Swafford.

Last night's convention was called to order by Chairman Wright, who, in a few words stated the object of the meeting.

The appointment of committees first occupied the attention of the chair and the following were reported: on credentials—E. M. Waite, T. C. Shaw, Jasper Minto; on order of business—G. H. Burnett, W. M. Hunt, O. D. Hutton.

The committee on order of business submitted the following report which was adopted: 1st, election of permanent officers; 2nd, nomination for mayor; 3rd, nomination for recorder; 4th, nomination for marshal; 5th, nomination for treasurer; 6th, election of ward committees; 7th, election of chairman of city committee for the convention at large; 8th, adjournment.

Nominations were next in order. For mayor the names of G. H. Williams and John G. Wright were placed before the convention.

The vote was by ballot and it required a majority of all votes cast to nominate. The first ballot gave Williams 21, Wright 19, Dr. Cusick 1. Williams was declared nominated.

For recorder L. F. Conn, J. H. Strickler and J. M. Payne were placed in nomination. The first ballot gave Conn 24, Strickler 16, Payne 1. Conn was declared duly nominated.

For marshal J. H. Ross was the unanimous choice of the convention and his nomination was made by acclamation.

For treasurer E. J. Swafford and C. M. Parmenter were placed in nomination with this result: Swafford 36, Parmenter 4. Swafford was declared the nominee.

Committeemen for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: First ward, G. G. Bingham; second, J. D. McCully; third, E. M. Waite; fourth, A. Dille.

Fell Down Stairs.

This morning at the state house a little son of Carpenter Athey, who is doing some finishing work about the elevator, fell down stairs. He was sent from below for a plane which was several flights above. Not returning at once he was missed. His father started after him and found him lying at the foot of the stairs, a senseless form.

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The Overland Monthly.

Among the coming attractions of this popular monthly is an interesting descriptive article of Salem and the Willamette valley, which will appear in an early number.

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Marion's Jail Birds.

There are but four prisoners in the Salem jail at present. They are all waiting the action of the grand jury. They are young—Osborn who made away with the North Salem milkman's funds, Charles Cowen the sodomist, and Al and Willis Jordan who influenced the half-witted orphan girl to enter a life of shame.

Cars Arrive at Mills City.

Yesterday cars on the line of the O. P. arrived at Mills City, and the terminus is now located in Marion county.

A Mr. Rice of Mills City is quite sick and not expected to recover.

SUPREME COURT.

Salem, Nov. 27. John Patterson, respondent vs. Clell Hayden, appellant; appeal from Marion county. Argued and submitted.

ALBANY NEWS.

At last we have a steam laundry, engineered by J. D. Smith. The mandate is that the celestials must travel.

The Evening Democrat has had a head put on it, as it were. Be that as it may, this lively daily looks well with its new head.

Fred Mueller died on Sunday morning, of ulceration of the stomach. He was an enterprising citizen, and one whose demise will be keenly felt.

Barney Bressler, the tailor who was taken here with the delirium tremens, and afterwards sent to the asylum, had \$75 when he came to town. Could it be that he was robbed? The money is gone.

A prohibition convention was held last evening for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the city offices at the coming city election. There were only six present, but they made the nominations as follows: For marshal, I. F. Hadley; for treasurer, H. Flindt; for councilmen, E. A. McAllister, J. F. Hall, and W. E. Kelley.

Some time ago the county treasury became empty and a loan of \$2500 was effected. Warrants were also issued amounting to \$2500 more, for which there was no money to pay. The financial condition is now in a more satisfactory condition. The tax collector is on his annual rounds and has already collected about \$6000 and there is no longer any scarcity of money for county purposes, and the county has the money to pay all its indebtedness.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

Warren Truitt and N. L. Butler of Dallas are in the city.

Joseph Schrog died at Dallas yesterday, after a protracted illness.

A daughter of Mrs. Shedd of Silvertown, died in California and was brought to Silvertown for burial to-day.

To-day the Oregon Land Co. has on exhibition the premium potato of the season. It weighs ninety-three ounces.

Thomas Humphrey of Hillsboro, and W. W. Hutchinson of Salem were to-day granted notary's commissions.

The report that a case of small-pox had developed on the river steamer Occident is denied by the company.

Yesterday morning's overland train killed Rev. Parrish's cow. She was on the track and failed to heed the danger signal.

To-morrow will be held the quarterly examination of the school teachers of Marion county. The examinations will continue for three days.

The county tax rolls are not yet all in, and Secretary McBride informs us it is probable the state levy cannot be made before the first of next week.

Preparations are under way for a fine dinner at the asylum Thanksgiving day. Mr. Savage to-day sold twenty-five turkeys to the Superintendent for the occasion.

The report that a lady in North Salem had been taken down with the smallpox this morning proves to be a canard. No cases here exist save in the Schwab family, and they are all four doing nicely.

Judge Shaw informs us that he is in receipt of favorable reports from all of the quarantine officers appointed at different places in the county. There are no cases at Woodburn, as reported.

The election returns are now in from every county in the state, and the vote is being canvassed, but will not be completed before late tonight. The plurality for the republican electors will be about 6740.

The Salem Commercial Review is now in press. It is gotten up by C. R. Presley of California, and E. M. Waite is doing the mechanical part of it. The California boomer proposes giving the publication one consecutive issue—only.

NOTICE.

There will be a supper served in good New England style on Thanksgiving night for the benefit of party goers and others at the Home Restaurant, (W. C. T. U. Hall) under the opera house. Terms reasonable. E. M. LAW, Prop.

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OCCIDENTAL JOTTINGS.

News And Notes of a General Interest to the Westerner.

Corvallis is to have electric lights in operation by June 1st.

John T. Mael, the county clerk of Grant county, had to resign. He fell short in his accounts about \$2200 on an \$8000 salary.

The case of State against Miller, the boy case-knife murderer, was begun at Corvallis yesterday. J. F. Caples of Portland has been employed to help conduct the prosecution.

It is stated in a dispatch from Cheyenne that some cowboys, while gathering beaves last month on the Sweetwater river, in Fremont county, Wyoming, ran upon a herd of 23 buffaloes. They followed them ten miles and captured six calves by lariat.

The Union Pacific will build a line of their own in the near future from some point on the Oregon Short line to the Pacific coast. Surveys are already being made on a route that has been recommended, and work will be commenced on the road in the spring.

At Cove, Union county, last week the largest woman of the Pacific coast died. Her weight was 460 pounds. It required for her interment a coffin seven feet long, three feet high and four feet wide. It was said she was a sister to the "big woman" with Sells Bros.' circus that visited Oregon the past summer.

At Lebanon Saturday Geo. Elkins and Charlie Parrish were manufacturing spit balls for amateur fire works. Walter Miller was holding a can containing the powder, when a spark from a burning ball fell into the can igniting the powder, burning Walter's face and eyes badly. He is as yet unable to see, but it is thought his sight will not be permanently impaired.

On arrival of the freight train yesterday evening at Harriburg, one of the brakemen, a young man named Leathers, was missing, and on returning back with the engine the mangled body was found a quarter of a mile below the station. His head was fractured and his leg broken. His home was in East Portland. It is not known how he came to fall from the train.

A few days ago a freight train of the Southern Pacific, near Tucson, moving twenty miles an hour, down grade, ran into a herd of cattle, striking a yearling calf, which jumped on the pilot of the locomotive. It quickly lay down and rode for nine miles. As the train approached Tucson, the signal whistle aroused it and the calf jumped from the pilot and scampered across the range.

A great many people, both in Schome and Whatcom, favor changing the name of Whatcom and Schome to "Bellingham," all three of the towns adjoining one another and fronting on the bay, viz: Whatcom, Schome and Bellingham to be incorporated as one city under an ample charter to be obtained from the first legislature when statehood shall arrive. It is evident that one large city will be built on Bellingham bay, from the projects on foot and in prospect.

Upon the Suislaw a few days ago John Schwartz, George Montgomery and others went out hunting and started a bear, which the dogs put in a thicket of brush and brought to bay. John being very quick on foot got the lead of the boys and rushed in the thicket and shot and killed the bear. In the meantime George Montgomery came up, and seeing John's black coat, mistook it for the bear and shot, the ball passing through his body near the short ribs. He cried out, "I am shot!" George ran to him and picked him up, when he said, "Lay me down and let me die." And in a few minutes after killing the bear he was a corpse in the same thicket.

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